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STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

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Sir:

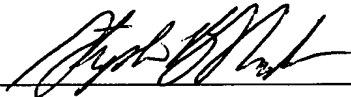
In accordance to 37 C.F.R. § 1.133, submitted herewith is a record of the substance of the interview on November 3, 2009, between Examiner Darryl C. SUTTON, regarding the above-captioned application. This statement is being submitted within one (1) month of the mailing date of November 4, 2009, of the Interview Summary and is therefore a timely response.

Applicants thank Examiner Sutton and Examiner Lundgren for the courtesies extended during the in person Patent Office Interview conducted November 3, 2009. As reflected in the Interview Summary, applicant's representative Shine Tu discussed the amendments filed on October 21, 2009. Examiner Sutton and Lundgren agreed that the proposed claim amendments filed October 21, 2009 "would overcome rejections from [the] Non-final office action dated 05/28/2009." However, Examiner Sutton also noted that a new search must be completed based on the new claim language.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing or a credit card payment form being unsigned, providing incorrect information resulting in a rejected credit card transaction, or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, Applicants hereby petition for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extension fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Respectfully submitted,

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